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APPLICATION SERIAL NO.: 09/779,382

Enclosed please find the paperwork for an Amendment and Response. If you should have any questions or comments, please contact me at (949) 660-5001.

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RE: U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 09/779,382  
Filed: February 8, 2001  
Entitled: MULTISTANDARD VIDEO DECODER AND DECOMPRESSION  
SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING ENCODED BIT STREAMS INCLUDING  
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Inventor: Adrian P. Wise  
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced application are the following documents:

1. Transmittal Form;
2. Fee Transmittal;
3. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a);
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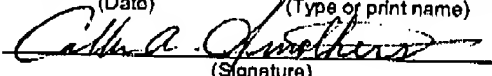
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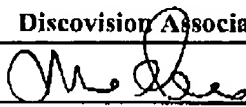
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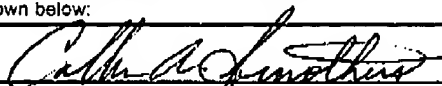
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	Art Unit	2154
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR §1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)** 220.00**Complete If Known**

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Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee \$	Fee Code	Fee \$		
1001	790	2001	395	Utility filing fee	
1002	350	2002	175	Design filing fee	
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1004	790	2004	395	Reissue filing fee	
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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	110.00
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1401	340	2401	170	Notice of Appeal	
1402	340	2402	170	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	300	2403	1505	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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1501	1,370	2501	685	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
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1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmtl.	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 C.F.R. 1.129(a))	
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Other fee (specify) <b>Terminal Disclaimer</b>					110.00

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